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A GENUINE CLOSING OUT SALE!

The first day of April I shall remove to Minneapolis to assume the management of Browning, King & Co's. branch store. Previous to that date I have \$25,000 worth of CLOTHING and Gents' Furnishing Goods to close out. On Monday, Feb. 9th, I will commence to sell this stock of goods at cost. This is the best opportunity that the people of Janesville and Rock county have ever had to buy Clothing at a bargain. The stock is too extensive to list, but it includes everything in the store, nothing reserved.

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Without a doubt these are the finest and best wearing
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First selections are always the best.

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Handsomest Store
IN JANESVILLE,
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All of the best French makes, all choice patterns. New goods. We commence Thursday morning our first sale in this department; we are headquarters for

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The latest novelties in this line. Don't be taken in by the old dodge, but come and see this line.

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Aprons, C. B. Corset, Underwear, wear, Star Waists, Ribbons, Surprise Prices. Agent for Hall's Dress Forms

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Handsome and cheaper than ever this spring. See our \$5.00 Dinner Sets and China and Glassware just received from the factories

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Do You Realize what
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This means what it
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WEEK ONLY. Don't
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I keep in stock a number of fine

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FOR OUR
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IN THIS COLUMN ON

Forest Park,

Glen-Etta.

Riverview,

Riverside

Spring Brook.

Yours very truly,
Geo. L. & Sarah H.

CARRINGTON,

On the Bridge.

BRAZIL COMES FIRST.

The New Republic Accepts Reciprocity.

ALL THE NEGOTIATIONS COMPLETED.

President Harrison Issues a Proclamation Detailing the Details of the Treaty—Benefits to This Country.

NEW TRADE RELATIONS.
WASHINGTON, Feb. 6.—The President late Thursday afternoon issued the following proclamation:

"By the President of the United States of America—A proclamation: Whereas, Pursuant to section 3, act of Congress, approved October 1, 1890, entitled 'An Act to Reduce the Revenue and Equalize Duties on Imports and for Other Purposes,' the Secretary of State of the United States of America communicated to the United States of Brazil the action of the Congress of the United States of America, with a view to secure reciprocal trade in declaring the articles enumerated in said section 3—to wit, sugars, molasses, coffee and hides, to be exempt from duty upon their importation into the United States of America; and

"Whereas, The Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Brazil at Washington has communicated to the Secretary of State the fact that, in due reciprocity and for consideration of the admission into the United States of America free of all duty of the articles enumerated in section 3 of said act, the Government of Brazil has, by legal enactment, authorized the admission of the articles of Brazil, free of all duty, whether National, State or municipal, of the articles of merchandise named in the following schedule, provided that the same be the product or manufacture of the United States of America: Schedule of articles to be admitted free into Brazil: Wheat, wheat flour, corn and maize and the manufacture thereof, including corn meal and starch; rye, rye flour, buckwheat, buckwheat flour and barley; potatoes, beans and peas; hay and oats; pork, salted, including pickled pork and bacon, except hams; meat, salted, dried or pickled; cottonseed oil; coal, anthracite and bituminous; resins, tar, pitch and turpentine; agricultural tools, implements and machinery; mining and mechanical tools, implements and machinery, including stationary and portable engines and all machinery for manufacturing and industrial purposes, except sewing machines; instruments and books for the arts and sciences; railway construction material and equipment.

"And that the Government of Brazil has by legal enactment further authorized the admission into all the established ports of entry of Brazil, with a reduction of 50 percent of the duty designated on the respective article in the tariff now in force on which the articles are imported, the duty on the articles named in the following schedule, provided that the same be the product or manufacture of the United States of America: Lard and substitutes thereof, bacon, hams, butter and cheese, canned and preserved meats, fruits and vegetables; manufactures of cotton, including cotton clothing; manufactures of iron and steel, single or mixed, not included in the foregoing schedule; leather and the manufactures thereof, except boots and shoes; lumber, timber and the manufactures of wood, including cooperage; furniture of all kinds, wagons, carts and carriages; manufactures of rubber.

"And that the Government of Brazil has further provided that the laws and regulations adopted to protect its revenue and prevent fraud in the declarations and proof that the articles named in the foregoing schedule are the product or manufacture of the United States of America, shall place no undue restrictions on the import or impose any additional charges or fees therefor on the articles imported; and

"Whereas, The Secretary of State has by my direction given assurance to the Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary of Brazil at Washington that this action of the Government of Brazil in granting exemption of duties to the products and manufactures of the United States of America is accepted as a due reciprocity for the action of Congress as set forth in section 3 of said act. Now, therefore, be it known that I, Benjamin Harrison, President of the United States of America, do hereby certify that the laws and regulations adopted to protect its revenue and prevent fraud in the declarations and proof that the articles named in the foregoing schedule are the product or manufacture of the United States of America, shall place no undue restrictions on the import or impose any additional charges or fees therefor on the articles imported; and

"In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.
Done at the city of Washington, this fifth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one, and the date of November 3, 1890. In it the Secretary of State expresses to Senor Mendonca the hope that the Government of Brazil will meet the Government of the United States in a spirit of sincere friendship in its desire for such trade relations with that country as shall be reciprocally equal and that it may be the happy fortune of Senor Mendonca and himself to be instrumental in establishing commercial relations between the two Republics on a permanent basis of reciprocity profitable to both.

In his reply, dated January 31, 1891, Senor Mendonca informed Mr. Blaine that the United States of Brazil is animated by a desire to strengthen and perpetuate the friendly relations which happily exist between it and the United States of America and to establish a basis of reciprocity and equality.

Mr. Blaine on the same day, in a note to Senor Mendonca, expresses his satisfaction at the attitude of the Brazilian Government in the matter and asks Senor Mendonca to meet him at the Department of State to agree upon the time and manner of public announcement of this new commercial arrangement.

Under the provisions of the agreement Brazil reduces her import charges upon American products of the farm, factory and mine to the extent of about \$5,000,000 annually, which is as far as she could go in the present state of her finances. The present annual importation of sugar from Brazil is about 125,000 tons, and it is believed that under the stimulus which this reciprocity will give she will this year increase her sugar shipments to 200,000 tons, next year to 300,000 tons, and that in five years Brazil will be able to furnish all the sugar required in the United States.

Some idea of the far-reaching importance of this reciprocal agreement may be gained from the estimates which have been made of the increased trade between the two countries. At present the United States exports to Brazil annually about \$10,000,000 worth of goods, and it is estimated that under the new arrangement manufactures and products at least \$25,000,000, which amount will be distributed through every section of the country.

BLOODY WORK IN CHILI.
Soldiers Take Advantage of the Revolt to Slaughter a Flock—Many Killed.
PARIS, Feb. 6.—A dispatch to the Gaulois from Buenos Ayres says that the Chilean rising at Castro was due to violence on the part of the Chilean regulars. The battle between the regulars and insurgents lasted three hours. Sev-

enteen of the former and 130 of the latter were killed.

Profiting by the revolt the hostile sections of the Chilean regulars attacked one another with knives to settle an old quarrel, and the insurgents around the city joined in the fighting, which lasted two days. The number of persons killed is not known exactly, but is large. The harbor is patrolled by volunteers who are captives of the President assisted by 3,000 sailors. The revolt appears to be reduced to the principal harbors. Beaten on all sides, the insurgents intend to retreat to the mountains, assume the defensive and march toward Santiago, which is now denuded of troops. Friends advise the President to convene Congress, which would settle the quarrel.

THAYER'S MESSAGE.

The Recommendations of the Retiring Governor at Last Presented to the Nebraska Legislature.

LINCOLN, Neb., Feb. 6.—The message of the retiring Governor, John M. Thayer, which was due four weeks ago, was read before the joint session at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon. It is a long document, giving a report of the condition of every State institution and every department of the State Government, together with recommendations usually made by the chief executive. The financial reports show that the State funds were in an exceedingly satisfactory condition during the last two years. The Governor asks the Legislature to memorialize Congress for the disarmament of the Indians and for a change in their management in order that they may be made civilized tillers of the soil. He recommends the appropriation of \$200,000 for the relief of the sufferers from drought in the western part of the State.

No Money for the Law-Makers.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 6.—Specials from Little Rock, Ark., say that in consequence of the shortage in the Arkansas State Treasury there is no money to pay the members of the Legislature. Colonel Morrow, the new Treasurer, has firmly refused to pay the legislators one account of there being no funds "available" for that purpose. Governor Eagie has sent special requests to all county collectors to send in all State moneys in hand to meet the necessities of the General Assembly.

Deposed the Bishop.

ABILENE, Kan., Feb. 6.—A largely attended meeting of the elders of the church of United Brethren of Kansas was held here to consider the case of Bishop Engle. The bishop had been speculating in Kansas real estate and failed recently with liabilities \$50,000 in excess of assets. The elders removed him from office and expelled him from the ministry. The cause of this action is given as "indiscreet financiering."

Settlers Will Fight.

ASHLAND, Wis., Feb. 6.—Squatters in the vicinity of Ashland have organized a Settlers' club for mutual protection. They are upon land which is to be returned to the State and April 1. It is estimated that more than 500 squatters are upon the land. Many are contesting the land under the innocent purchaser act of March 3, 1857. There will be about 400,000 acres to be filed upon at that time.

Will Not Strike May 1.

CARBONDALE, Pa., Feb. 6.—In a series of resolutions passed at their semi-annual meeting, District Assembly 18, Knights of Labor, deny the widely published report that there will be a general strike of anthracite coal miners on May 1 for a reduction of working hours and an increase in wages. The resolutions say that the report emanated from the Federation of Labor.

Valuable Live Stock Burned.

ACUBA, Ill., Feb. 6.—A large barn three and one-half miles west of Geneva, the county seat of Kane County, was destroyed by fire about 4 o'clock a. m. Eleven horses and fifty-seven head of choice cattle and a great amount of hay and grain were consumed. The loss reaches fully \$10,000, with insurance of \$4,000. The fire was undoubtedly of incendiary origin.

Nine Orphans Cremated.

MOSCOW, Feb. 6.—A terrible fire occurred in an orphan asylum in this city Wednesday night. The building was burned to the ground, and most horrible scenes were witnessed as the youthful inmates were being rescued. As it was, nine children were burned to death and a number of others were seriously injured that their lives are despaired of.

Buried by an Avalanche.

OUREAU, Col., Feb. 6.—Four Virginia miners were going up the mountains Wednesday evening. At an altitude of 13,000 feet a heavy body of snow became detached and Sam Byron, L. Phillips, Allen Tyne and John Sunderland were buried beneath the mass. Their bodies were recovered.

Offered to Depose.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—The Press says: "It is an open secret that the portfolio of the late Mr. Windom has been offered to a distinguished and much-talked-of citizen of New York, Chauncey M. Depew. It is an also equally open secret that under no circumstances will Mr. Depew be induced to accept the position."

ILLINOIS EDITORS.

The Press Association Closes Its Annual Meeting at Joliet—Officers Chosen.
JOLIET, Ill., Feb. 6.—The Illinois Press Association wound up its three days' convention Thursday night with a grand banquet and ball at Armory Hall, tendered by the citizens. Congressman Owen Scott, of the Bloomington Bulletin, on behalf of the association presented the retiring president, E. B. Fletcher, of the Morris Herald, with a gold watch. The election of officers resulted in the choice for President of Thomas Rees, of the Springfield Register; First Vice-President, W. W. Louis, of the Lena Star; Second Vice-President, C. E. Warner, of the Hoopes Chronicle; Third Vice-President, R. L. Spencer, of the Illinois State Center; Secretary, J. M. Page, of the Jerseyville Democrat; Treasurer, George M. Latham, of the Greenville Advocate.

Was Asleep for a Year.

AMBOY, Ill., Feb. 6.—Miss Grace Gridley, who fell into a deep sleep nearly a year ago, has at last awakened. Though very weak, she managed to creep from the bed.

A MOTHER'S SAD FATE.

Terrible Proof of a Woman's Devotion.

SHE MEETS DEATH BY STARVATION.

Refusing to Partake of the Scraps of Food she Had Obtained in Order That Her Orphaning Might Not Suffer.

RELATIVES UNABLE TO AID HER.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.—A sad case of the starvation of a handsome young wife and mother in the very heart of the city of Newark, N. J., has just come to light. The name of the unfortunate woman is Mrs. Mary Rosenberg, 29 years of age, who lived in the basement of a house on Broome street. The body was found stretched at full length on the cold bare floor, the dress was torn open at the neck and the lips were flecked with blood, giving awful evidence of the last convulsive struggle for life. In the room with the corpse were her two little children, neither of them being over 7 years of age. Her husband and her brother were also present. The husband had been at work in another city; his wages were very small and the remittance he had sent failed to reach the starving wife. He spent his last penny to reach his wife when sent for, but arrived to find her unconscious and beyond all human aid. She had given the scraps of food she had obtained to save the lives of her children. Her brother, a poverty-stricken husband and father himself, pawned his last article of jewelry in endeavoring to secure the admission of his sister to one of the so-called charitable hospitals, but without success.

ILLINOIS WHITE CAPS.

They Brutally Chastise a Man Near Atwood, Ill.

MONTICELLO, Ill., Feb. 6.—White Caps have made their appearance in this vicinity. Wednesday night eight or ten of them went to the home of Thomas Shears, near Atwood, and called him to the door. When he opened it they threw a rope around his neck and dragged him out of the house. He was then taken to some woods near by, where he was tied to a tree. After giving the victim thirty lashes he was left still tied to the tree, and when found was nearly frozen to death. It is reported that the chastisement was because of the drunken and dissolute habits of Shears. He is charged with getting drunk and abusing his family. The grand jury, now in session, will make a thorough investigation of the outrage.

GAS-WORKS BLOWN UP.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Badly Shaken Up—One Man Injured.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., Feb. 6.—The gas-works of the Eau Claire Gas Company were wrecked by an explosion from an unknown cause at 4 o'clock a. m. which shook the whole town. About half the plant is a total wreck. The loss is estimated at \$10,000. Richard Pitt, the man in charge, who was in the meter-room, and James Conley, a boy of 13, who was asleep between the condenser, were struck by the falling walls. Conley was not hurt, though completely buried. Pitt was badly injured and it is feared his skull is fractured.

Iowa's Educational Exhibit.

DES MOINES, Ia., Feb. 6.—The Iowa Columbian Commission has passed a resolution that there be prepared an educational exhibit under the supervision of the Superintendent of Public Instruction. The exhibit shall include work from the State University, the agricultural and all other colleges, high school and teachers' associations, with a State map showing the location of all the schools. It is also required that there be models of the coal, blue-grass, corn and flax palaces. The exhibit will also include geological maps and collections of building stone, grain and horticultural products.

Important Appointments.

CHICAGO, Feb. 6.—Director General Davis has announced the appointment of chiefs for three important departments in the World's Columbian Exposition. They are Prof. John P. Barrett, the city electrician, appointed as chief of the electrical department; Captain J. W. Collins, of the United States Fish Commission, for the fish and fisheries department; and Prof. Putnam, of Harvard College, for the department of ethnology and archaeology.

Negro Lynched in Mississippi.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 6.—A Greenville (Miss.) special reports the lynching Wednesday night by a mob of fifty armed men of Green Jackson (colored), who acknowledged the United States. Ward, marshal of the town of Greenville, on the night of January 28. The present marshal was conveying Jackson to the Greenville jail for safe keeping when the mob boarded the train, took the prisoner and hanged him from a tree.

A Physician's Sudden Death.

ROCK ISLAND, Ill., Feb. 6.—Dr. J. W. Cowden, one of the best Union physicians and surgeons in the State, and a delegate from Illinois to the International Medical Association at Berlin last summer, dropped dead at midnight at the bedside of a patient. Heart failure, the result of excitement and over-exertion, was the cause. He was 65 years of age.

A Maine Poor-House Burned.

WATERVILLE, Me., Feb. 6.—The city poor-house was burned at 1 o'clock a. m. One inmate, a girl of 15, was burned to death. Thirteen escaped. The cause of the fire was a defective chimney. Loss on the building, \$2,000; uninsured.

Still No Result.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Feb. 6.—Mr. Cockrell was not present when the joint session met. A ballot was taken, but the republicans and F. M. B. A. members refused to vote, thus preventing a quorum.

Filed an Assignment.

BURTONS, Ia., Feb. 6.—Thursday the Burtons-Smith Grocery Company, which suspended business last Saturday, filed papers of assignment to C. A. Frick, together with a list of 150 creditors, among whom are distributed liabilities amounting to \$40,000. The assets are \$10,000.

Great cheap closing out sale of sets of stands, 1 books, and miscellaneous books generally at Sutherland's bookstore.

WINANS BARS WOMEN.

He Objects to Their Gaining New Powers.

TARRANT'S FRAMP BILL.

A Measure Introduced Repealing the Law Creating Soldiers' Commissions in Each County—Assemblyman John Fitzgibbon Wants \$2,600 as Expenses.

MADISON, Feb. 6 (Special).—The time of the assembly was taken up to-day with the discussion of a bill granting powers of apportionment, court commissioners, executive, etc., to marry women and women engaged in the profession of the law. Assemblymen Winans and Kretz, of the judiciary committee, submitted a minority report against the passage of the bill, and argued that it was an innovation in the practice of courts that would do more harm than benefit to women. Assemblymen Dodge, Watson, Osborn and others spoke for the bill. Miss Kate Fier, the Milwaukee lawyer, was refused the privilege of speaking on the measure. It went over for further debate on Wednesday.

Among the bills introduced was a uniform insurance law similar to the Minnesota act.

To the senate a bill was introduced to pay Fitzgibbon, the successful contestant of Edward Schofield's seat in that body, \$2,600, as his expenses reached that amount. Judge D. S. Rose, of Milwaukee, his attorney, asks for \$2,800. Another bill provides for a state board of World's Fair managers, to consist of five members to receive six dollars per day and expenses, and to expend the appropriation of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, provided by the bill for a Wisconsin exhibit. A bill was introduced repealing the law organizing the soldiers' relief commission in each county.

A tramp law of a sweeping nature has been introduced by Assemblyman Henry Tarrant. The bill amends the present tramp law by punishing the offender by imprisonment at hard labor in the county jail not exceeding three months or in solitary confinement not exceeding ten or less than three days; giving authority to sheriffs to arrest such parties and allow the customary fee and providing for a fine of \$500 and not less than \$30 or the removal of any child and making him ineligible for office for five years, for attempting to increase his fees or emoluments by keeping a "pocket" within his bailiwick longer than necessary.

DIDN'T BLOW OUT THE GAS.

William Taylor's Woe Because of a Newspaper Item.

BROOKFIELD, Feb. 4, EDITOR GAZETTE.—I notice in your Weekly Gazette of January 29, an article headed "Gas filled his room." William Taylor, of Brookfield, turned out the gas and then turned it on again—was discovered by the night clerk, but not until he had been nearly overcome by suffocation. Now, this article is false. I am not the man. I ask you to correct the article and attach the name of the proper person. I shall hold you responsible for what damages I have already sustained and also what shall accrue up to the time it is all settled. I am satisfied twenty times a day in this way: "Hello, heyseed; blow out the gas, did you?" "Hello, candles are good enough for you?" "How far out in the country do you live?" and other backwoods' titles too numerous to mention.

Denying or saying it is a mistake does not do any good. I am roasted until cigars are put up for the whole crowd, and in five minutes I meet some one else whose first salutation is "Hello, gas blow; you ain't dead yet," and the crowd surrounds me again, and to settle the talk I buy the cigars and beer again, and then I go off by myself and wonder who put up this job on me. I have paid out a little over fifteen dollars already for being advertised, and, to make expenses lighter, I moved out on the farm to save what little money I had left.

Again I notify you that I shall hold you responsible for the fifteen dollars, and all other expenses I have to be on account of publication of this article.

WILLIAM TAYLOR.

COME FAR TO THE MISSION.

Many Beloit People Numbered Among Archdeacon Webster's Congregation.

Mission meetings at the Trinity church will close Sunday. Archdeacon Webster, of Milwaukee, has been conducting the meeting. The archdeacon has shown great power to both interest and instruct Christians of all denominations, and the services time far have aroused the success and good results of the mission. At the praise service last evening popular mission hymns were selected, the archdeacon leading the singing which was very hearty and general throughout the congregation. The subject of discourse was "Repentance and Baptism" and the archdeacon spoke timely and earnestly for over an hour, holding the close attention and interest of his entire audience. Every one seemed impressed, people of all denominations expressing their gratification at being permitted to hear him. This morning services were held at 9 o'clock, and at 4 o'clock there was a special service for ladies. "Unbelief" will be the subject of the archdeacon's sermon this evening. Holy communion will be celebrated at 7 o'clock to-morrow morning, followed by an address at 9 o'clock. At 4 o'clock there will be an evening prayer and address, and at 7:30 in the evening praise service and sermon. A delegation of Beloit people are attending the meetings.

TWELVE INCHES OF SNOW.

Observer E. B. Heimstreet's Report as to January Precipitation.

E. B. Heimstreet's report of the January weather is as follows: The amount of precipitation (rain, sleet, snow, etc.) during the month was exactly the normal amount for January being slightly less than an inch and a half, and this precipitation fell on an average of six days throughout the state. Six-sevenths of the total precipitation was in the form of snow-fall, there being an average of twelve inches of snow for the state. There was an average of one and one-half inches of snow on the ground on the 15th of the month, and six inches at the close of the month. Ice to a thickness of from fifteen to eighteen inches was harvested during the month.

BRIEF LOCAL MENTION.

The new rink opens Saturday evening.

Rev. R. W. Bosworth visited Milton to-day.

E. R. Jansen visited Beloit on business to-day.

George Baird is the manager of the new rink. Mrs. David Jeffris and Miss Susie Jeffris visited Milwaukee to-day. The Light Infantry boys will shoot for the Bernard medal at the Armory to-night.

Adjutant General J. B. Doe, who is confined to his home by illness, is better to-day. Major E. S. Bailey and wife, of Clinton, Iowa, are in the city visiting friends.

For thirty days I will save you "big" money on your groceries. Get my prices. Fred Vankirk.

M. J. Sullivan's home has been brightened by a ten pound boy that arrived last evening.

For thirty days I will save you "big" money on your groceries. Get my prices. Fred Vankirk.

The wolf shot by George Bink near Afton, was one of Frank Frayne's, which escaped in Beloit.

Miss Allie Hemstreet went to Monroe this morning to attend a party to be given at that place to-night.

Thirty day "clearing sale" of groceries. Get my prices. FRED VANKIRK.

I. C. Sloan has been elected a member of the Wisconsin Jersey Breeders' association's executive committee.

Miss Kate Beegan, of Madison, who has been visiting Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Peirce, returned home this morning.

Sewerage will be the subject of discussion at the adjourned meeting of the Business Men's Association to-night.

C. N. Frink will deliver a temperance lecture at the close of the installation exercises at the Good Templars' hall to-night.

For thirty days I will save you "big" money on your groceries. Get my prices. Fred Vankirk.

Janesville people can skate on rollers Saturday evening, when the new rink in Apollo hall will be opened.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Bailey with their family, started this morning for Cleveland, Florida, where they will spend the next two months.

Miss Eastbrook and Miss Nae, of Mt. Carroll, Illinois, who have been visiting Mrs. Floyd Murdoch for a few days, have returned home.

Marshal Acheson has his official eye on those parties violating city ordinances by obstructing sidewalks, and intimates that the violators will have to pay for such violations.

The store lately occupied by Shea & Sons, next to the postoffice, best location in the city, is offered for rent. Enquire of Shea & Sons, directly across the street, 1st floor upstairs.

Thirty day "clearing sale" of groceries. Get my prices. FRED VANKIRK.

A dog collar marked "J. A. M." was found near Stearns & Baker's drug store on West Milwaukee street. Owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying for this notice.

Janesville democrats will "get together" this evening in Hibernia hall for the purpose of forming a club. Then the quiet work of the spring campaign will be inaugurated by the ringmasters.

The date of the Concordia annual masquerade is drawing near. Complete arrangements have been made and the crowd that congregates in Concordia hall Monday evening are sure of a good time.

Janesville people will glide on the seductive roller skates as of yore. Apollo Hall has been fitted up as a rink and will be opened to the public Saturday evening. The hall has a new floor and is well adapted for a skating rink.

A shoe that hurls your foot, disturbs your good nature, and this is entirely unnecessary; for all grades of foot-wear are now made in such variety of widths and styles, that you can be fitted. We have the stock. Not all high priced, but all good goods. BECKER, on the bridge.

Madison Democrat.—A paper by J. B. McDowd, of Janesville, on the subject of "Grapes in Wisconsin, Grapes for the Million" was received as a most interesting topic. The writer had gathered many interesting facts, and the style of giving them out to a hungry gathering was truly praiseworthy.

Thirty days "clearing sale" of groceries. Get my prices. FRED VANKIRK.

A poor wearing or poor fitting shoe reflects no credit upon the store where it was purchased. We will not hurry you away, but will give you all the time necessary to fit and please you perfectly. Remember we carry all grades of good goods at low prices. BECKER, on the bridge.

"HUSBAND" STARTLED HER. Conductor Kurt's Dialogue With a Fair and Blushing Bride.

"I had a newly married couple on my train today," said Conductor James Luff, of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. "They were going from Rockford to Madison, and the groom was in the smoking car and his wife was in the rear coach with a lady friend. When I went through the smoker he gave me the tickets for himself and the two ladies. I had forgotten it when I reached the rear coach, and asked them for their tickets. The bride was very much embarrassed, but finally found her tongue long enough to stammer:

"Why, I—I haven't any. My—my—my—gentleman—has it in the smoking car."

"That word 'husband' didn't seem natural to her yet."

OUR JAIL A DISGRACE.

And the County House a S and-ing Outrage.

SAYS ANDREW E. ELMORE.

If Fire Should Sweep the Poor Farm It Would Be An Unmannered Blessing, Said the President of the State Board of Charities this Morning.

Local complaints against Rock county's jail are made by the state board of charities and reform. Hon. Andrew E. Elmore, president of the board, was in the city today, and made a thorough inspection of the premises.

"The jail is one of the most miserable buildings in the state," said he to a Gazette reporter. "Our board has made several complaints and protests, but no good has come from it. I think we will have to condemn the building, and thus compel the county to erect a new jail. I went down there this morning to see the prisoners at breakfast, and I must say it is a miserable place."

"Has that anything to do with the small number of prisoners confined in the jail?" suggested a bystander.

"Possibly it may be, yet I think the exercise on the stone pile has more to do with it. The contract which Sheriff Hogan has, he can, of course, break at any time as there is no authority for the making of such a contract, but he is very naturally trying to keep within the lines of that agreement, and make money. There are seven or eight counties as bad as Rock on the tramp subject. It can be nearly wiped out if the police officers of the county so elect."

"I am going out to see the inmates of the county insane asylum, and be with them at dinner time. I would like to see that institution burn down. It is a disgrace to the county. The board of supervisors ought to sell the poor farm at Johnston and purchase one nearer Janesville and build a suitable building for the accommodation of the inmates. I do not want harm to fall to any one, but the insane asylum at Johnston ought to be wiped out in smoke if necessary."

SCORES NOW OWN SKATES. And Each one Represents Five New Gazette Subscribers.

Skating has been restored to old-time favor in Janesville this winter. The boys skate and the girls skate, and scores of them have learned that the best and cheapest way to get a pair of skates is by getting five subscribers to The Gazette.

They found, moreover, that this was easily accomplished. The people know The Gazette is bright, progressive and contains all the news. Realizing this, and the fact that the paper costs but fifty cents a month—less than most men spend for cigars in two days, the new names have come easily.

Everybody can afford a daily paper, and then the skates. They are the celebrated Czar skates, and are the best made. The blades are of hardened steel polished and nickel plated. They fasten to the foot by a patent clamp which is perfection itself. Boys and girls too, if you want a pair of skates, bring in five new names and advance payment for one month each and you have a pair of skates that you can rely upon—absolutely the best made.

FATHERS TO VOICE A PROTEST. A Change in the Covenant Mutual's Course Demanded.

Policy holders of the Covenant Mutual Benefit Association, of Galesburg, Illinois, assembled last evening at the court house to consider sending a representative to the annual meeting of the company in Galesburg on the 11th inst.

It was stated that policies amounting to over one hundred thousand dollars were held by Janesville people, and it was urged that an effort be made to have the company resume business in Wisconsin, at least one of the directors being a Wisconsin man.

James A. Fathers was unanimously chosen as the representative of the Janesville policy holders, and it was moved that all policy holders give him their proxies that he may cast the full vote. Mr. Fathers will leave for Galesburg on Sunday evening, and will be absent several days.

TRAMPS FIRED HIS HOUSE. Frank Oile's Home Despoiled While the Family Were Absent.

Farmers complain that since the tramps were driven out of Janesville and Clinton, they have been preying upon the country. A party entered the house of Frank Oile near Clinton, while the family were away from home, and after forcing themselves in, what they could find in the house to eat, set fire to the building. A neighbor discovered it in time to extinguish the blaze before much damage was done. It may prove cheaper in the long run to keep these gentry locked up.

PRIZE FOR MISS HILTZ. Something of the Song Recital at the Congregational Church.

Miss Grace Hiltz, who will be here in remarkable vocal programme at the Congregational church February 9, is the only singer in this country who gives song recitals without other vocal assistance. She sings all grades of music, recognizing merit in popular as well as classical music. The Providence, (R. I.) Journal says of her: "An interpreter of the gems of classic German song, she has few equals, and yet while this is true, she applies to the simplest English ballad, the same highest accomplishment of art."

SATURDAY WILL BE FAIR. What the Weather Man Says of Janesville Climate.

Forecast for Janesville and Vicinity—For the twenty-four hours beginning February 6, at 1 p. m.—fair with stationary temperature.

The highest temperature recorded in the last twenty-four hours was 45 degrees above zero; the lowest 16 above. Prevailing wind south. Temperature as observed by E. B. Heimstreet: At 7 a. m. At 10 p. m.

AN OLD MAN'S SERIOUS FALL. R. C. Sweet Slips From a Straw Pile and is Badly Hurt.

R. C. Sweet, a well known farmer in the town of Rock, fell from a load of straw Tuesday receiving internal injuries.

Bitten By a Cat. A daughter of G. W. Leech, of Center, undertook to release the cat from a trap that had been set for rats, when the cat turned on her, biting her on the thumb so severely that it was necessary to call medical aid.

Will Sing in Evansville. Mrs. Christine Hawley and Miss Minnie Nowlan will sing at the concert for the benefit of the Episcopal church at Evansville this evening. Mrs. J. F. Sweeney will go with them as accompanist.

A Private Side Track Bill. Assemblyman Winans has introduced a bill providing that railway side-tracks leading to private property, shall not be taken up without six months' notice.

BOILER SHOP IN JANESVILLE.

Thomas Lepsa, of St. Paul, anxious to locate here.

FIRE LICKS UP \$25,000.

Big Blaze in Milwaukee This Morning.

Thomas R. Lepsa, of St. Paul, is in the city, consulting with business men, with a view of locating a shop here for the manufacture and repair of steam boilers. Mr. Lepsa is a practical boiler maker, and is desirous of establishing a shop somewhere in southern Wisconsin. He has been looking the city over, and thinks Janesville a good place for such a shop.

"I will come here and work up a business in this line," said Mr. Lepsa this morning, "if the people will furnish me shop room. I have all the machinery and tools necessary for a boiler making establishment. Of course I do not propose to compete with the large boiler makers of Chicago, but in the manufacture of small steam boilers and repairing, I can compete with any shop and do work just as well and fully as cheap as it can be done in any other place. I do not require much room, and no power. The most of such work in these interior towns is done outside the shop. The item of repairing boilers is much larger than many people suppose, and a good business for a number of boiler makers I think can easily be worked up here. There are many traction engines in use, besides steam boilers for stationary purposes. Many of them have been in use for a number of years and now require more or less repairing. I desire a location in some city like Janesville, and all I ask of the people is to furnish me shop room for putting up my machinery."

This afternoon Mr. Lepsa met George L. Carrington to whom he made known his wants, and Mr. Carrington proposed to erect at once such a building as he desired and give it to him free of rent for a term of years. Mr. Lepsa will look the matter over and it is more than probable that he will locate here and accept Mr. Carrington's offer.

T. J. ZEIGLER TO LEAVE TOWN. He Takes Charge of Browning, King & Company's Minneapolis Store.

The many friends of T. J. Zeigler will learn with regret that he has decided to close out his business in Janesville, and remove to Minneapolis. This move is the result of a handsome proposition from the well known clothing house of Browning, King & Co., and on the first of April Mr. Zeigler will take charge of the firm's branch house in Minneapolis.

It is something remarkable that Browning, King & Co. should find two of their managers in Janesville, and both in the same firm. It will be remembered that Henry L. Piche went to Kansas City three years ago, to occupy the same position that Mr. Zeigler is to assume in Minneapolis.

Mr. Zeigler now desires to sell his stock and on Monday, February 9, he will commence a genuine cost sale on every article in his store. His announcements appears in the advertising columns of The Gazette. This is not a dodge to sell goods, but means business, as stated. The stock must be sold before Mr. Zeigler goes, and will be handled as indicated.

UNDER DEATH'S SHADOW. Funeral of George McCrea.

The Baptist church at Afton was well filled with people yesterday afternoon at two o'clock, they being assembled to listen to the funeral services of George McCrea. The services were conducted by Rev. O. P. Bestor, pastor of the Baptist church in B. lot. The remains were laid in the Afton cemetery, the pall bearers being Messrs. Joseph Humphrey, Henry Tripp, William Kuhlberg, Floyd Murdock, Fred Vankirk, Charles Waite.

BRIEF LOCAL NOTES. Charges for Delayed Cars.

Janesville shippers will be considerably interested in a decision rendered in a Columbus, Ohio court. It bears upon the legality of charges made for the delay of cars by shippers or receiver, and the question is one that has been raised several times of late in this city. A car of lumber was shipped from Michigan to Columbus; demurrage charges accrued by reason of its detention after the time allowed for unloading the car, and the court decided in favor of the railroad company.

One Hog Welched \$30. Walter Collins has been in the heavy hog business lately. He bought ten hogs of Eli Orell that averaged 520 pounds, one hog of the lot brought down the beam at \$30 pounds. He also bought twelve hogs of John Rodd that averaged 450 pounds; twenty of William Crow that averaged 390 pounds, and bought nineteen of George Bishop that averaged 387 pounds.

Will Spend \$500 on the Armory. Five hundred dollars will be spent in improvements to the Armory. A new filled hardwood floor, newly painted woodwork and three hundred dollars' worth of fresco painting will so transform the Armory that even the company boys will hardly recognize it. The move was decided upon at the meeting last evening.

Chauteauque Circle. Chauteauque Circle Monday night at 7:15 o'clock. Quotations from Burns. First half of questions in February Chauteauque. No. 5 Queen's English. Will the circle be prepared to ask question on the fifteenth chapter of English history and to be questioned on the sixteenth.

All-claim, nickel-plated skates free to every boy and girl in Janesville. Read the offer in our advertising columns.

BOYS MUSTN'T SELL POISON. E. B. Heimstreet Called Upon To Prosecute a Rascally Physician.

E. B. Heimstreet has returned from Racine, where he went to attend the case of the state against Dr. F. S. Fancher, a druggist of that city, charged with a violation of the pharmacy law, the doctor having no registered name in his store. The defense was that the stock in the store was not Dr. Fancher's, but his sister's and that he (Fancher) had told the clerk's not to sell poison. Dr. Fancher was fined \$50 and costs. This case has attracted considerable attention, as it was commenced last June.

"The Board of Pharmacy is determined that the law shall be observed," said Mr. Heimstreet, "and we are prosecuting all cases brought to our notice, and have been successful in almost every instance. All that is required by the pharmacy law is that druggists shall employ competent persons to sell poisons and compound prescriptions."

Commendable. All claims not consistent with the high character of Syrup of Figs are purposely avoided by the Cal. Fig Syrup Company. It gets gently on the kidneys, liver and bowels, cleansing the system effectually, but it is not a cure-all and makes no pretensions that every bottle will not substantiate.

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IF YOU ARE NERVOUS OR DYSPYPTIC try Carter's Little Nerve Pills. Dyspepsia makes you nervous, and nervousness makes you dyspeptic; either one renders you miserable, and these little pills cure both.

WHAT NEIGHBORS SAY.

Beloit Free Press—In trying to get down cellar from his room in the Plankinton House via the stationary wash basin, M. G. Jeffris, of Janesville, had one of his big toes nearly cut off. Mack's friends say that he was giving his feet a hot water bath in hopes of putting a quietus to a raging headache. As the accident occurred at Milwaukee, the headache explanation is probably correct.

WEST BOOK CO. THE LOSERS.

An Electric Light Wire Comes in Contact With Dry Woodwork and a Conflagration That Destroys Books and Pictures Is the Result.

MILWAUKEE, Feb. 6 (Special).—A blaze in the New Insurance building early this morning cost the West Book & Stationery Co. \$25,000.

It was caused by an electric light wire which ignited the woodwork near the vault. It was with difficulty that the big front door to the store could be forced open, but once open, the firemen could not enter on account of the heat. The cold air which had entered fanned the flames.

An entrance was then effected by breaking into the store in the rear. Another draft was produced and the next moment the flames had jumped across the store, from the east to the west wall, where they communicated to hammocks and other inflammable material. The store being heated by hot air everything in it had become thoroughly dry. The heat was such that the shelves and the books and other stock packed away near the ceiling, became charred. All the stock that was shelved as low as six feet below the ceiling was charred and blackened. The costliest books, pictures, statuary, fancy goods, etc., had thus been ruined before the fire was under control. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

Other State News. Hunters corralled five grey wolves in Richmond, but the last old she-wolf got in order to save the next year's crop, and preserve the big wolf bounty.

The United States senate has passed a bill re-imbursement J. A. Keyes, of Watertown, \$300 draft money wrongfully required of him in war time.

Gilbert Thompson, of Amherst drowned himself by lolling his head in a barrel of water.

Jerry Schneider, of Racine, had the nose kicked from his face by a horse and will die.

The bill to provide for a Polish official paper for Milwaukee will probably pass. Channey Dewey thinks that Senator Spooner will succeed Wadsworth.

Appleton has a tramp's dog-bear in the shape of some dark curls. Lake Mills will absorb a large amount of adjacent territory.

A boy was buried to death at Sheboygan. Marshfield has a White Cap band.

WILL DOG-FIGHTS BE STOPPED. President Palmer Insists That Public Backing Is Needed.

The Humane Society's action as to rat killings and dog fights, have not yet been determined.

"I have written to Superintendent Whitehead for some information relating to ratting matches and dog and rooster fights, but have not heard from him yet," said president W. G. Palmer, of the Humane society. "It is rather a delicate place for a man to occupy," he continued.

"You see there are a few people who expect the president of such a society to go ahead blindfolded and declare war against all violations. Now I do not propose to do any such thing. In order to make the society a success we must have the moral support of the law abiding people. Without such support it will be impossible to accomplish good results. I understand there is to be a bull-dog fight in the city soon, and also another ratting match. Both ought to be stopped. I have no objections to killing the rats, but to make a public exhibition of it, seems to me degrading to the morals of the community. There are other abuses witnessed on the streets which will receive attention in a few days. But the first thing we must have the moral support of the good people of this community in order to make any show of success. You see the 'law and order league' which was organized some time ago, is doing nothing, and it now looks as if they look to the Humane society to attend to all misdoings."

Count's Printing. NOTICE—Is hereby given to the established newspapers of Rock county, that bids for printing for the year 1891, will be opened, and the award made February 14, at 2 p. m., at the county clerk's office, by the committee. A partial list is hereto attached. For further particulars, call on county agent or clerk. 3,000 pamphlets—proceedings County Board. 10,000 personal property statements. 1,000 road warrants. 700 poll lists. 500 abstract tables. 100 Circuit Court calendars.

T. T. CHAFF, County Clerk.

There are less persons afflicted with rheumatism since our druggists have sold Salvation Oil.

Few are aware of the importance of checking a cough or common cold in its first stage. That which in the beginning would yield to a mild remedy, if neglected, soon preys upon the lungs. Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup affords instant relief. It is an infallible remedy. Price 25 cents a bottle.

Dr. Coffee. Announces to the public that he has received from New York a large stock of imported eye glasses, spectacles and lenses and artificial eyes. He is prepared to fit any case with glasses or artificial eyes; he handles the best lenses; examines the eyes with the ophthalmoscope, and can tell in a moment whether the weakness of sight comes from disease or errors of refraction. His charges are very reasonable, and he guarantees a perfecting or no charge.

See the ladies' all wool hose we are selling at 15 cents this week.

ARCHIE REID.

You can get anything you want, if you advertise for it in THE GAZETTE.

"DUG" WASN'T FOR SALE.

Bribery Tried on the Janesville Inspector.

A LOTTERY MAN'S SCHEME.

It Includes the Payment of One Hundred Dollars a Month to J. D. King for His Silence, And Will Hand The Bribe Behind the Bars.

Another chalk mark for "Dug" King! According to Washington dispatches the general postal inspector has taken another turn at his ferreting for the lottery men. And he came out with his flag flying higher even than when his first encounter ended.

Gold, the lottery attorney, who was indicted a few weeks ago after he had been trapped by King through a decoy letter, tried the other day to bribe Mr. King. Calling on him at his office, he managed to lead the conversation along to a point where he thought it was safe to offer King \$100 a month indefinitely if it would not appear as a witness against him. All the time King had his scribe behind a screen taking down all that was said. The result was that the grand jury has indicted Gould again for attempted bribery.

MILTON A GOOD TOBACCO TOWN. The Leaf Market Is Booming and Warehousemen Full.

MILTON, Feb. 4.—Damp weather last week enabled tobacco growers to take down the crops, and with regularity, in their sheds and they are already beginning to deliver leaf to the warehouses. The Borden warehouse, operated by E. O. Tallard, of Edgerton, opened with a lot of cutters under the foreman's eye of F. G. Borden. The deliveries of tobacco, making an appreciable increase in currency.

Mrs. David Smith, of Harmony, is very sick with stomach and other troubles and her death at any hour would not be an unexpected event.

Lon Brown, agent of the St. Paul railroad company at Hall, Iowa, and wife arrived in town Monday, being called here by the dangerous illness of Mrs. Brown's mother.

Postmaster Clarke was at Watertown Friday night attending a G. A. R. camp fire.

President Whitford occupied the pulpit at the Seventh-day Baptist church Saturday morning.

Milton's delegation of a dozen or more to the Kentucky state.

Rev. George Ellis preached in the M. E. church Sunday evening.

Colonel O'Connell delivers his famous lecture "What to Hinder" Thursday evening at the Seventh-day Baptist church. Those who fail to hear him will regret it.

Mrs. William Osborn is very ill with stomach and heart trouble, and her recovery is doubtful.